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Attached please find the following document related to the above-referenced application:

- 1) Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, including a Preliminary Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement mailed April 20, 2005 (9 pages)

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In re Application of: Bryan Avery
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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT
AMENDMENT MAILED MAY 26, 2005**

Please find enclosed the following Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed May 26, 2005, which was never received in our office pursuant to the Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment filed concurrently. This Response contains a Preliminary Amendment and Response to the Restriction Requirement mailed April 20, 2005, in which the status identifiers for the claims have been corrected. Applicant has cancelled claims 1-22, 23-31, and 35-41 (3 independent claims, 35 dependent claims) and added new claims 42-64 (1 independent claim, 22 dependent claims). Therefore, no fees are necessary for the addition of claims 42-64. If any fees are required in association with this response, the Director is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 50-1732, and consider this a petition therefor.